## **ABSTRACT**

The invention relates to a method for a particularly precise execution of a measurement or control action and to a corresponding controller (9). A temporally periodic synchronization signal (S, S') generated by a receiver (9) based on a timing reference signal (Z) is divided by a switching frequency (F) generated by a timing generator (14) into a plurality of switching intervals (I<sub>n</sub>). A switching command (C<sub>n</sub>), which triggers a corresponding switching process of the action, is associated with each switching interval (I<sub>n</sub>). Several measurement and control actions can be accurately synchronized by performing each action with the aforedescribed method using a common timing reference signal (Z).